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For: SMALL SPOT SPECTROMETRY INSTRUMENT WITH REDUCED POLARIZATION AND  
MULTIPLE-ELEMENT DEPOLARIZER THEREFOR

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.